तथा उन्हें गिरफ्तार किए जाने के स्थानों के बारे में विस्तृत सूचना इस मंत्रालय में उपलब्ध नहीं है ।

(ग) से (ङ) अपेक्षित सूचना एकत्र की जा रही है और सभा पटल पर रख दी जाएगी ।

Under-Utilisation of STD and ISD systems during Non-Peak hours

1754. SHRI MENTAY PADMANABHAM: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that STD and ISD system is under-utilised at certain non-peak hours in the country;

(b) what steps Government propose to take to grant further concessions at the late hours for STD calls; and

(c) whether Government would consider ways of assisting middle income people to use STD facility through lower rates for non-peak and office hours?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI JANESHWAR MISHRA): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Concessions already exist for NSD calls. No further concessions are under consideration.

(c) No further concessions are under consideration. During non-peak hours concessions upto 75 per cent for NSD calls are already available.

Meetings of ICCR

1755. SHRI MENTAY PADMANABHAM: Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that various committees of the Indian Council for Cultural Relations have not met for long periods;

(b) the steps being taken to have such meetings to bring about better policies by ICCR;

(c) the names of members of existing committees; and

(d) the reasons for not holding meetings?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI HARI KISHORE SINGH): (a) No, Sir. The Main autorities of the Council, as prescribed in the ICCR Constitution, are the General Assembly, the Governing Body and the Finance Committee of the ICCR. During the last financial year 1989-90 and to date, meetings of these authorities have been held in keeping with the prescribed schedule as follows:—

Governing Body	20-4-1989 5-3-1990 & 27-6-1990
General Assembly	1-6-2989 & 27-6-1990
Finance Committee	12-4-1989 & 20-11-1989

(b) Does not arise.

(c) List of members of the General Assembly, governing body and the financial committee are placed on the table of the House. [See Appendix CLV, Annexure No. 55]

(d) Does not arise.

Waiting list of telephones in the Country

1756. SHRI VITHALRAO MADHAVRAO JADHAV:
SHRI PRABHAKAR B. KORE:
SHRI H. HANUMANTHAPPA:

Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) what is the city-wise present waiting list of telephone connections in the country;